



# ABC Update March 2008

## /Nathan Jones, Staff Assistant

1003 Twilight Trail • Frankfort, KY 40601 • 502-564-4850 • [www.abc.ky.gov](http://www.abc.ky.gov)

### Mike Razor Appointed Enforcement Director

Veteran ABC enforcement investigator Mike Razor was sworn in as Director of the Enforcement Division on February 1, 2008. Razor has been an ABC investigator since 1999 and prior to that, he was a state investigator with the Attorney General's office. Razor came to work for the state of Kentucky after serving as an officer in the United States Air Force.

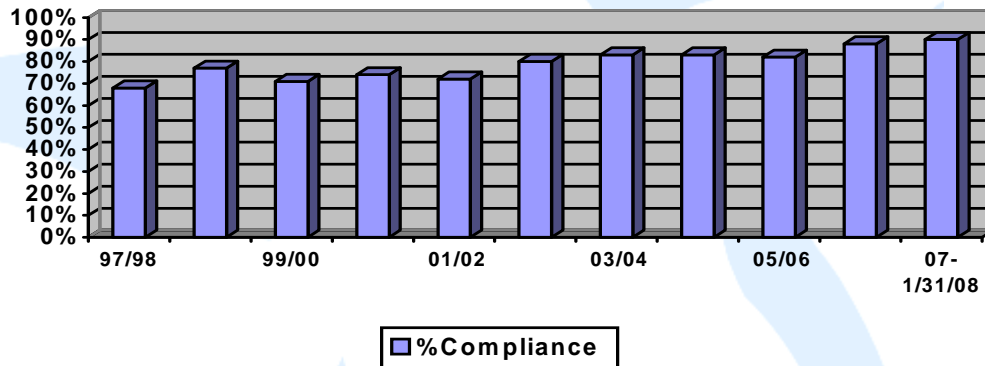
### S.T.A.R. Inclement Weather Plan

In the event of inclement weather, S.T.A.R. will be cancelled if the county or city in which the class is held has cancelled school. ABC staff will make calls and emails to notify students of the cancellation. An attempt to notify the local television and radio stations will be made as well.



### Compliance Rates Continue to Rise

Just in: the compliance rate as of January 2008 is at 90% statewide. This is great news and speaks to the hard work of the retailers and sellers to maintain a safe environment for alcohol sales. The ABC appreciates the continued efforts of retailers and sellers of alcoholic beverages to check identification and make sure alcohol is not sold to minors in Kentucky. The graph below illustrates the steady increase of compliance for the last several years.



#### *Election Updates*

**January 15**-Lee County voted to remain dry.

**February 5**-Dawson Springs voted to permit package sales.

# UPCOMING S.T.A.R. TRAINING DATES

Server Training in Alcohol Regulations - In addition to responsible sales and service training, we cover Kentucky-specific statutes and regulations, individual liabilities and fake IDs. Class time is four and one-half hours. **Classes start promptly at noted time.**

## March 2008

04	(9-1:30)	Louisville-Middletown Gov't Ctr.
04	(9-1:30)	Hopkinsville-Library Boardroom
04	(9-1:30)	Morehead-Conv. Ctr.
05	(9-1:30)	Ashland-Firehouse
05	(9-1:30)	Richmond-City Hall
06	(9-1:30)	Lexington-Ramada
08	(9-1:30)	Frankfort-ABC Office
10	(9-1:30)	Owensboro-Cigar Factory
11	(9-1:30)	Mt. Sterling-Civic Ctr.
11	(9-1:30)	Prestonsburg-Jenny Wiley Pk.
12	(5-9:30)	Frankfort-ABC Office
13	(6-10:30)	Louisville-Barrett Gov't Ctr.
15	(9-1:30)	Lexington-Ramada
17	(5-9:30)	Morehead-Convention Ctr.
18	(9-1:30)	Mayfield-City Hall
19	(9-1:30)	Corbin-City Hall
24	(9-1:30)	Frankfort-ABC Office
25	(9-1:30)	Florence-Florence Municipal Bldg.
25	(9-1:30)	Louisville-Middletown Gov't Ctr.
26	(5-9:30)	Lexington-Mayor's Job Training Ctr.
27	(5-9:30)	Mt. Sterling-Civic Ctr.

## April 2008

01	(9-1:30)	Radcliff-Colvin Community Ctr.
02	(9-1:30)	Morehead -Morehead Conv. Ctr.
07	(9-1:30)	Frankfort-ABC Office
08	(9-1:30)	Louisville-Middletown Gov't Ctr.
08	(9-1:30)	Lexington-Ramada
14	(5-9:30)	Owensboro-Cigar Factory Mall
15	(9-1:30)	Paducah-Convention Ctr. Rm. A
16	(9-1:30)	Mt. Sterling-Health Department
17	(9-1:30)	Radcliff-Colvin Comm. Ctr.
		SPANISH
19	(9-1:30)	Frankfort-ABC Office
19	(9-1:30)	Lexington-Ramada
19	(9-1:30)	Louisville-TBD
22	(5-9:30)	Morehead-Conv. Ctr.
24	(5-9:30)	Lexington-Mayor's Job Ctr.
29	(5-9:30)	Frankfort-ABC Office
29	(5-9:30)	Mt. Sterling-Health Dept.
30	(6-10)	Louisville-Barrett Gov't Ctr.